

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 SEOUL 09096 160410Z

66

ACTION EA-09

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EB-07 /017 W
----- 113671

R 160346Z NOV 76
FM AMEMBASSY SEOUL
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 0538
INFO USDOC WASHDC

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE SEOUL 9096

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EGEN BEXP KS

SUBJ: VISIT OF JACK VALENTI TO KOREA

1. JACK VALENTI, PRESIDENT OF THE MOTION PICTURE EXPORTERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA (MPEAA) VISITED KOREA FROM NOVEMBER 10 TO NOVEMBER 13. HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. VALENTI AND ROBERT PERKINS, MPEAA REP IN MANILA.
2. MESSRS VALENTI AND PERKINS MET WITH THE AMBASSADOR AND EMBASSY OFFICIALS; PRIME MINISTER CHOI, KYU-HAH; MINISTER OF CULTURE AND INFORMATION KIM, SEONG-JIN; VICE MINISTER KIM, DONG HWIE; PRESIDENT OF KOREA MOTION PICTURE PROMOTION CORPORATION GENERAL ROH, YOUNG-SU; SPECIAL ASST. TO THE PRESIDENT FOR INT'L AFFAIRS KIM KYUNG WON; MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY CHANG, YIE JOON; AND OTHER ROK OFFICIALS AND MOTION PICTURE PRODUCERS AND DISTRIBUTORS. NEGOTIATIONS WITH ROK OFFICIALS LASTED MORE THAN NINE HOURS.
3. VALENTI INFORMED EMBASSY THAT AN INFORMAL AGREEMENT HAD BEEN REACHED WITH THE ROK AND KMPPC WHICH WOULD ENABLE AMERICAN MOTION PICTURES TO BE SOLD FOR SHOWING IN KOREA. ALTHOUGH DETAILS WERE NOT PRECISE, IT APPEARS U.S. DISTRIBUTORS WILL BE ALLOWED TO DEAL DIRECTLY WITH KOREAN DISTRIBUTORS AND THE PRICE PER FILM WILL BE INCREASED. THE KOREAN LAW ON THE OPERATION OF THE MOTION PICTURE PROMOTION CORPORATION WILL, AT THE SAME TIME, BE RECOGNIZED BY BOTH PARTIES.

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 SEOUL 09096 160410Z

4. EMBASSY WILL CONTINUE TO MONITOR THE ROK MOTION PICTURE

INDUSTRY AND REPORT AS APPROPRIATE.
SNEIDER

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: EXPORTS, MOTION PICTURES, PRICES
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 16 NOV 1976
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: KelleyW0
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1976SEOUL09096
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D760426-0865
From: SEOUL
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1976/newtext/t19761144/aaaablrs.tel
Line Count: 63
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION EA
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: KelleyW0
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 01 JUN 2004
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <01 JUN 2004 by ShawDG>; APPROVED <27 SEP 2004 by KelleyW0>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
04 MAY 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: VISIT OF JACK VALENTI TO KOREA
TAGS: EGEN, BEXP, OTRA, KS, MPEAA, (VALENTI, JACK)
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 04 MAY 2006